

C A P. II.

An Act in further Addition to an Act, intitl'd *An Act for regulating Petit Juries and declaring the Qualification of Jurors*†.

† 33. Geo. 2. c. 9.

Preamble.

Qualification of Jurors in the Islands of Cape Breton, & St. John's.

† 33. Geo. 2. c. 5.

* 33. Geo. 2. c. 9.

***** *HERE AS* the Number of Freeholders in several Counties within this Province, are insufficient for Grand and Petit Juries, whereby Trials are often continued over, and great Delay of Justice thereby happens; Be it therefore Enabled by the Governor, Council, and Assembly, That any Person residing in the Islands of Cape Breton, or St. John's, in this Province, not being a Freeholder, but that shall have Personal Estate to the Value of Ten Pounds and upwards, shall be obliged to serve on Juries, being duly summoned for that Purpose; and in Case of Neglect shall incur and pay the same Fines and Penalties which, in the like Case, are imposed by an Act made and passed in the Thirty Third Year of His late Majesty's Reign, intitl'd *An Act for regulating Petit Juries and declaring the Qualification of Jurors*†; and also by an Act made and passed in the Thirty Third Year of His late Majesty's Reign*, intitl'd *An Act in Addition to an Act, intitl'd "An Act for regulating Petit Juries and declaring the Qualification of Jurors!"* And that all Persons so summoned by the Provost Marshal or his Deputy, shall attend and serve as Jurors, unless they shall make it appear by Oath before the Court, that they are not possessed of Personal Estate to the Value of Ten Pounds.

C A P. III.

An Act in Addition to an Act made in the Fourth Year of His present Majesty's Reign†, intitl'd *An Act to enable the Inhabitants of the several Townships within this Province to maintain their Poor.*

† 3 Geo. 3. c. 7.

* 3. Geo. 3. c. 7.

Preamble.

***** *HERE AS* it is provided in and by an Act made in the Fourth Year of His present Majesty's Reign*, intitl'd An Act to enable the Inhabitants of the several Townships within this Province to maintain their Poor, "That it shall and may be lawful for the Freeholders of any Township within this Province, where there are Fifty or more Families Freeholders resident, to meet on the First Monday in January Annually, and to vote such a Sum of Money as they shall judge necessary for the current Year, to support and maintain their Poor;" And Whereas there are some Townships who do not consist of Fifty Families Freeholders resident, which Townships labour under great Inconveniency for want of a Power to make Provision for their Poor; For
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